

Welcome

Prayer of the Day

Open Hymn "This is the Day"

" This Is The Day" - Psalm 118:24

This is the day. **This is the Day!**

That the Lord has made. **That the Lord has made,**

I will rejoice. **I will rejoice.** And be glad in it. **And be glad in it.**

This is the day that the Lord has made, I will rejoice and be glad in it.

This is the day. **This is the day, That the Lord has made!**

First Reading: Acts 1:6-9

Brian Webber

When the apostles had come together, they asked Jesus, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive

power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight.

Psalm 68: 9, 32-35

Rev Arhiana Shek Dill

You sent a bountiful rain, O God;

you restored your inheritance when it languished.

Your people found their home in it;

in your goodness, O God, you have made provision for the poor.

Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth;

sing praises to the Lord.

You ride in the heavens, O God, in the ancient heavens;

you send forth your voice, your mighty voice.

Ascribe power to God,

whose majesty is over Israel; whose strength is in the skies.

How wonderful you are in your holy places, O God of Israel,

giving strength and power to your people! Blessed be God!

1 Peter 5:7-11

Erin Webber

Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you.

Discipline yourselves, keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters in all

the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering. And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the power forever and ever. Amen.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel: John 17:1, 6-11

After Jesus had spoken these words to his disciples, he looked up to heaven and said, "...I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have

believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one."

Anthem *"Virelai"*

Tiia Karlen and Kim Croft

Sermon

Pastoral Intern Deb Squires

Hymn *"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"*

Kelly and Gracey Conrad

Prayers of People

Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayer Sung

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray as we sing;
Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Peace

Announcements

Closing Hymn “God Bless Our Native Land” ELW 891

My country, 'tis of thee; Sweet land of liberty; Of thee I sing.
Land where my father's died; Land of the pilgrims' pride.
From every mountain side; Let freedom ring.
God bless our native land; Firm may it every stand; Through storm and night.
When the wild tempests rave; Ruler of wind and wave.
Do thou our country save; By thy great might.

Blessing and Dismissal

Christ is risen, just as he said.
Go in peace. Share the good news.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude “*You Are So Good To Me*”

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